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FOR: USE OF METAL COMPLEX COMPOUNDS

COMPRISING PYRIDINE PYRIMIDINE OR S-  
TRIAZINE DERIVED LIGANDS AS CATALYSTS  
FOR OXIDATIONS WITH ORGANIC PEROXY  
ACIDS AND/OR PRECURSORS OF ORGANIC  
PEROXY ACIDS AND H<sub>2</sub>O<sub>2</sub>

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Please amend the above-identified patent application without prejudice as follows, prior to calculation of the filing fee and consideration on the merits.

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